## **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

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FROM:

CHARLES LISTER

DATE:

6 DECEMBER 1990

RE:

EPA RISK ASSESSMENT OF ETS

I have attached two documents which will give you background information about the content and results of the Scientific Advisory Board's hearings about EPA's risk assessment of ETS. The hearings concluded yesterday. The first document is Keith Teel's memorandum to me quickly summarising the results. Keith was present at the hearings. The second document is the background material prepared by the U.S. Tobacco Institute in preparation for the hearings.

As you will see from Keith's memorandum, the outcome was not helpful. There has already been press coverage in the U.S. and elsewhere, and you may well get questions. Keith will be in London Friday morning, December 7, and may be able to provide additional details.

## CHARLES LISTER

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